SECTION 02721

CULVERTS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SCOPE

A. This Section includes culverts and related appurtenances and installation.

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS AND PLANS

- A. Section 02100 Surveying
- B. Section 02215 Trenching and Backfilling
- C. Section 02270 Erosion and Sediment Control
- D. Section 13000 Borrow Area Management
- E. Part 8 Environmental Health and Safety, and Training Requirements

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. Latest version of American Association of State Highway Transportation Officials (AASHTO) Standards.
 - 1. AASHTO M 36. Standard Specification for Corrugated Steel Pipe, Metallic-Coated, for Sewers and Drains.
 - 2. AASHTO M 170. Standard Specification for Reinforced Concrete Culvert, Storm Drain, and Sewer Pipe.
 - 3. AASHTO M 198. Standard Specification for Joints for Circular Concrete Sewer and Culvert Pipe Using Flexible Watertight Gaskets.
- B. Latest version of the State of Ohio Department of Transportation Construction and Material Specifications (Ohio DOT Specifications).

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit the following to the Construction Manager for review within 30 calendar days from Notice to Proceed for review:
 - 1. culvert Manufacturer's product data and recommended methods of storage, handling, and proposed installation;
 - 2. shop drawings showing the layout and details of joints, special connections, and fittings; and
 - 3. culvert Manufacturer's written certification that culverts and joint material meet the material requirements of this Section.

1.01 HEALTH AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

A. Environmental, health and safety, and other training requirements shall be as specified in Part 8 of the Contract Documents.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.02 GENERAL

A. Furnish reinforced concrete pipe (RCP) circular or box culverts and corrugated metal pipe (CMP) culverts meeting requirements of Ohio DOT Specifications for the intended application.

2.03 RCP CIRCULAR CULVERTS

A. Furnish RCP circular culverts meeting the requirements of AASHTO M 170 for Class IV Reinforced Concrete Pipe with Wall B.

2.04 CMP CULVERTS

A. Furnish CMP culverts meeting the requirements of AASHTO M 36 with minimum 0.064-inch thick sheets and corrugations of 2.67 inches by 0.50 inches.

2.05 JOINTS

- A. Furnish RCP circular joints with Type A culvert gaskets meeting the requirements of AASHTO M 198.
- B. Furnish CMP culvert joints with coupling bands and rubber O-ring gaskets meeting the requirements of AASHTO M 36. Use coupling bands fabricated from the same type of base metal coating as the CMP culverts.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION

- A. Install culverts as required for borrow area management in accordance with Section 13000 or for erosion and sediment control in accordance with Section 02270.
- B. Examine culverts and joint materials before installation for workmanship. Do not install any culvert or joint material which shows poor workmanship.
- C. Prior to culvert installation, complete trench excavation and install embedment fill in accordance with the requirements of Section 02215 unless otherwise shown on the Construction Drawings.
- D. Install RCP circular and box and CMP culverts to the lines and grades shown on the Construction Drawings, to the survey tolerances specified in this Section.
- E. Install joints for RCP and CMP culverts in accordance with the Manufacturer's recommendations.
- F. After placement of the culverts, perform backfilling as specified in Section 02215.

3.02 SURVEY CONTROL

A. Survey the final locations and invert elevations of the culverts in accordance with Section 02100.

3.03 TOLERANCE

A. Construct culverts to within ± 0.1 feet of the invert elevations indicated on the Construction Drawings and to provide positive drainage at all times.

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